

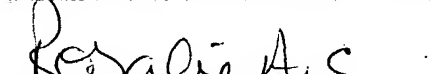
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Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Re: Continuation-in-Part (CIP) Patent Application based on Serial Number 10/187,302 –
Josef Grotendorst


FORMATION FLUID SAMPLING AND HYDRAULIC TESTING TOOL AND PACKER
ASSEMBLY THEREFOR

Sir:

1. Please find enclosed herewith for filing: 20 pages specification, 5 pages claims (19 claims), 1 page abstract, and combined declaration and power of attorney for continuing patent application in support of the above-identified application.
2. It is respectfully requested that this application be granted the priority date of June 28, 2002, the filing date of the pending U.S. patent application 10/187,302.
3. Also enclosed herewith is an assignment from the inventor, Josef Grotendorst, to EDM Systems, 610 Gold Ave., Suite 111, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102, which you will kindly record at the Patent and Trademark Office.
4. I am enclosing my check in the amount of \$415.00* to cover the official fees of:

Basic fee	\$375.00
Additional fees:	
Total number of claims in excess of 20 (# claims times \$18.00)	\$ 00.00
Number of independent claims in excess of 3 (# claims times \$84.00)	\$ 00.00
Assignment recording fee	\$ 40.00
TOTAL FEE	<u>\$415.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,


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* It is respectfully requested that, if necessary to effect a timely response, this paper be considered as a Petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response and any fees required or any shortages of fees required now or during the pendency of this application be charged to Deposit Account 02-1653.